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HAMILTON TRIMS UNION BASEBALL TEAM IN CLOSE, EXCITING GAME

Game a Pitchers Battle Between Baumler and Gilbert Until Union Infield Blows Up—Hamilton Infield Works Well—Pritchard Stars.

The Buff and Blue baseall team scored its second victory of the season last Wednesday afternoon, when it defeated Union by the score of 3 to 2. The game was a close, exciting pitchers' battle, which was marred by errors on both sides. Hamilton went into the lead and was never headed by Union's warriors, who made a gallant stand and almost overtook the Buff and Blue in a dally in the ninth. After Union had scored one run on two hits and a stolen base, Baumler tightened up and the game was over, safe in Hamilton's won column.

The home team fairly oozed pep and fight and the game seemed never in doubt. For the first five innings it was a battle of the traditional sort between Baumler and Gilbert, the Union pitcher. Both struck out seven men during this period, and while Baumler had allowed one hit, Gilbert had refused even one, although he had given two Hamilton men free tickets to first base.

In the sixth, the Union infield blew up with a bang. Campbell reached first on a hit to deep short. Johnson was safe on a wild throw by Mallory. Campbell scored on Pritchard's hit to right, while Johnson went to third, scoring when Wittner heaved the ball past Mallory in an attempt to catch Johnson napping. Hamilton's other run came in the eighth on Pritchard's hit, his steal of second, and another wild heave.

The Buff and Blue infield worked like veterans, the outfield chalking up most of the day's misplays in the error column. Moffat covered the hot corner well and pulled a sensational catch in the seventh on a high foul back of third. Pritchard's work with the stick was again gratifying, while Captain Fursman worked in his usual steady fashion around the keystone sack. The outfield has strengthened rapidly and the rest of the schedule should find it as well balanced as the infield. All that it lacks is a hitting combination and experience.

Beaver, Reynolds, and Clark starred at bat for the visitors. Gilbert was very effective during his stay on the mound, but injured his ankle in the sixth and was replaced by Butler. Both Union pitchers were handicapped by lack of support.

The game by innings:

First Inning

Union: Reynolds and Beaver struck out. Hanley reached first on an error by Johnson. Wittner was hit by pitcher. Clark out on a tap to Johnson.

Hamilton: Fursman out on a fly to pitcher. Campbell and Johnson struck out. No runs.

Second Inning

Union: Lewis whiffed, Brucker out, Moffat to Johnson. Mallory duplicated the performance of Lewis.

Hamilton: Pritchard, Gorman, and Clark struck out. No runs.

Third Inning

Union: Gilbert was out on a foul to Gorman. Reynolds popped to Fursman. Beaver reached second on a hit past Johnson. Hanley struck out.

Hamilton: King walked. Moffat sacrificed advancing King to second. Baumler was out on a long fly to Beaver. Fursman fouled out to Mallory. No runs.

Fourth Inning

Union: Hanley out, Campbell to Johnson. Clark out by grounder to Johnson. Lewis reached first when Clark dropped an easy one. Brucker was hit by Baumler. Mallory out by fly to Fursman.

Hamilton: Campbell out, Mallory to Hanley. Johnson struck out. Pritchard fouled to Mallory. No runs.

Fifth Inning

Union: Gilbert and Reynolds struck out. Beaver poked a single to center for his second hit. Stole second. Hanley out, Moffat to Johnson.

Hamilton: Gorman walked. Clark bunted and went to second when Mallory threw his bunt past Hanley. King struck out. Moffat out on fly to Beaver. Baumler out, Lewis to Hanley. No runs.

Sixth Inning

Union: Wittner out, Moffat to Johnson. Clark out, Campbell to Johnson. Lewis struck out.

Hamilton: Fursman struck out. Campbell reached first on a grounder past Mallory. Johnson singled, advancing Campbell to second. Pritchard singled to right field, bringing Campbell home and advancing Johnson to third. Johnson scored on a wild throw to third, by Gilbert, while Pritchard reached third. Gorman reached first on a bunt. Gilbert injured his ankle and was replaced by Butler. Clark out, Mallory to Hanley. Gorman out at second. Score, Hamilton 2, Union 0.

Seventh Inning

Union: Brucker out, Baumler to Johnson. Mallory struck out. Butler out on fly to Moffat.

Hamilton: King singled to left field. Moffat sacrificed, advancing King to second. Baumler sacrificed,

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TRACK TEAM PREPARES FOR ROCHESTER MEET

Confident After Crushing Union, Captain "Hal" Reid Prepares for Trip to Rochester.

MAKE-UP OF TEAM, UNCERTAIN

With Union disposed of, the Track Team is turning its attention to preparation for the Rochester Meet, May 24. Time trials are being held twice a week to pick the team to send to Rochester and it is with difficulty that Coaches Prettyman and Squires will decide just whom to send. There is strong competition in most of the events and the men are well matched.

No reports of any meet in which the Rochester team has competed have reached the Hill. Their season was started late and considerably hampered, as was Hamilton's, by the cold and rainy weather. However, an unusually large squad has been practicing for some time and much new material has been discovered. Sutherland, who won the high and low hurdles and the quarter mile in the Hamilton Meet last year, has not returned to college, nor has Cobb, the winner of the pole vault and second place in the 120 high hurdles. The loss of these two men has been a serious blow to Rochester. The Freshmen and Sophomores competed against the track teams of the Rochester High Schools and made a very good showing. Rumsey has shown marked ability in the mile and two mile events, Justice is pole vaulting besides doing the middle distances, Bastian, who does the sprints, high jump and hurdles, is also showing much ability, as is his running-mate, Veness, who also does the broad jump.

An interclass meet was scheduled for May 17, which would indicate that the Hamilton Meet is the first on Rochester's schedule. Hamilton will be laboring under the disadvantage of being on a new track, but since they have had two meets for seasoning purposes the Buff and Blue will doubtless give a good account of itself.

—At a meeting of the Musical Clubs Thursday morning after chapel, Peters, '20, was unanimously elected leader of the Glee Club for next year and Turner, '20 was re-elected without a dissenting vote to lead the Instrumental Club next year.

—While the undergraduates were tripping the light fantastic toe, Dr. Ferry was busy delivering addresses at various educational meetings. Last Friday and Saturday he attended a meeting of the New England Association of College Administrative Officers in Boston and Cambridge. On Monday he presided at a meeting in the State Educational Building in Albany and gave an address on "Admission Requirements in Mathematics."

VARSITY TO MAKE WEEK-END TRIP

Will Play Syracuse and Rochester on Their Own Grounds—Expect Hard Contests.

COACH ZIEL CONFIDENT

With Syracuse on Friday and Rochester on Saturday the Buff and Blue will face a stiff proposition in the baseball line. Coach Ziel has expressed his belief that Hamilton will prove a stumbling block for both teams, but a battle can be expected in both contests.

Hamilton has had no chance to cross bats with Syracuse this season as the game scheduled to be played here a week or so ago was of necessity called off on account of rain. The Orange has defeated Rutgers by a large score and Union by the score of five to nothing. Last week Syracuse was victorious over Rochester nine to five.

Rochester has not had a very successful season thus far. She was easily defeated by Hamilton in the first game of the season here at Clinton. That the tables will be turned when Rochester is playing on her own field is not very probable.

The Buff and Blue has at present an average of a thousand per cent but has played but two games out of five scheduled. Three of the five were cancelled on account of the rain. This particularly rainy spring has greatly interfered with the practice, but it has treated Hamilton's opponents similarly so all have an equal disadvantage.

The team is nevertheless in excellent condition and has been practicing faithfully whenever the weather has permitted.

Coach Ziel, "the Little Giant," when asked as to his prediction for the coming week, said, "We have more than an excellent chance to beat Syracuse, and we should beat Rochester for certain."

TOURNAMENT PROGRESSES

Bad weather has retarded the Tennis Tournament to a considerable degree. The first round has not yet been completed, but it is expected to finish it off early in the week. Of those who have played or been scheduled to play, Getman has defeated Hinke 6-2, 6-0; Brandt defeated Jessup, 4-6, 6-4, 6-1; and Paton defeated Wheeler, 6-4, 7-5. Griffith forfeited to Wheeler, as did Alfange to Sherman, Cobb to Brandt, Fletcher to Restle, and Fry to Finnegan.

The schedule is posted in the Chapel and it is hoped that the entries will consult this and endeavor to play their matches early in the week, as the weather reports predict fair weather for those days.

Faculty Publishes Rules For Student Government

The new administrative rules recently issued contain many changes. The rules read as follows:

I. Standing

(a) **Grades.** All grades are on a scale of one hundred. Each absence from a classroom exercise in excess of the regular allowance for the course counts as a zero in the scholarship record. An instructor may require any classroom work lost by absence to be made up. Standing in any course is represented by a single mark, which combines term and examination grades in the approximate ratio of three to one, or in such other ratio as the instructor may determine. Instructors report to the Registrar the one resultant mark.

On the basis of scholarship for the year, four groups are formed of each class: (1) High Honor, those whose average is 90 or over; (2) Honor, those whose average is 85 to 90; (3) Credit, those whose average is 80 to 85; (4) those whose average is less than 80.

A student in order to qualify for graduation must have completed not less than fifty-four (54) semester hours subsequent to freshman year with a grade not below 70.

(b) **Reports of Standing.** Annually, in September, the high honor, honor and credit men of each class are announced to the College. At the end of each term, the undergraduate and his parent or guardian are notified of any failure incurred.

At the end of each term a student may learn from his instructor the scholarship group in which he stands for the subject studied (i. e., high honor, honor, credit, or passing above or below 70). The instructor may at his option post this information for the class.

(c) **Passing a Course.** In order to pass a course for a term, a student must attain a grade of sixty. A student reported as having failed in any required course or in any course in a set of electives essential to a degree, must repeat that course when it is next offered unless a substitute course is allowed by the Faculty. If a student's standing is less than forty for the first term of any course excepting Public Speaking 3-12, he may not continue that course in the second term unless under special permission by the Faculty. Failures in Public Speaking, courses 3 to 12, may be removed at the opening of either term, or immediately following the Spring recess.

(d) **Minimum Requirements.** To remain in college, an undergraduate must successfully complete ten hours of work in each term. An undergraduate dropped for failure to satisfy this requirement may re-enter college only at the beginning of a college year, and in a lower class; and only by special action of the Faculty.

A student may be dropped from college at any time for general neglect.

(e) **Failures in Senior Year.** A student who fails to secure by the end of his senior year the required 140 hours' credit through not attaining the necessary grades in his final year is allowed an extra examination, not later than the last Tuesday in the year, by which he may complete his record. The passing mark in this examination shall be 70.

(f) **Postponed Examinations.** Examinations postponed by permission of the Faculty may be taken at such time as the Faculty may set, not later than the opening of the second following term.

(g) **Enrollment in Classes** Changes in the classification of undergraduates are made only at the beginning of the college year. To be a sophomore, a student must have a clear admission record and must have passed 24 hours of college work; to be a junior, he must have passed 60 hours, including all of the required work of freshman year; to be a senior, he must have passed 100 hours.

(h) **Regular Standing.** To be in regular standing in a given term, a student must have no entrance condition, and must have passed all the work of the preceding term or all but six hours in the two preceding terms. A student who has been dropped from college, or who by withdrawing has avoided being dropped, and who is readmitted, is not in regular standing until one term after he re-enters. A student not in regular standing is ineligible for any prize competition, and receives only the minimum allowance of absence.

(i) **College Organizations.** The privilege of taking part in any public game or entertainment given by any team, club, or association of students, of occupying a position as manager or assistant manager, or of being a member of the editorial satff of any college publication, is withheld from any student not in regular standing. It may be withdrawn from any other student if, in the opinion of the Faculty, it would be detrimental to his college work.

II. Allowance of Absence

(a) A student in regular standing

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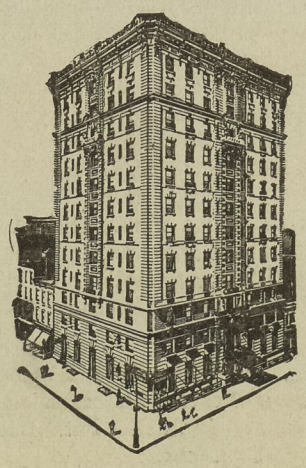

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Freshmen, Attention!

In the columns of Rochester's publication, "The Campus," we see a long discussion of college spirit. The writer deplores the fact that there seems to be for some reason a sudden lack of college spirit on the part of the undergraduate body; laying particular street upon the two lower classes in his remarks. **Life**, some time past, started a campaign of somewhat similar nature, hoping to nip this epidemic of thoughtlessness in the bud. The success of the attempt was only mediocre and this current of opinion from another college brings the matter forcibly back to our minds.

That this is a general thing in the college world is the absurd statement made by one of our upperclassmen. Colgate has not experienced it. Union's "Concordiensis" praises the undergraduates of that college for their spirit and support of all undertakings. Seemingly Rochester and Hamilton alone have struck the rut. One of our alumni claims it is our lower class, our Freshmen. He says, "The type of men the S. A. T. C. attracted here fails to come up to the previous standards of Hamilton men." Whether this is true or not, the class of 1922 has in its power to prove.

Let **Life** quote a few statistics. Last Wednesday the Varsity Baseball team met and defeated Union, with fifty per cent. of the Freshman Class noticeable for their absence. A man interested in Hamilton counted seventeen men leaving the Hill at the hour the game was scheduled to start. Of this number sixteen were Freshman and the other a Senior who throughout his college course has been noticeable for his lack of interest in things essentially Hamilton.

This state of affairs can hardly be called cheering to those men who spend two hours every day striving for a successful baseball team. It is not the kind of support which makes men who strive daily at track work more eager to win races and honor for our College.

We have in Coach Prettyman and Coach Ziel, whom the members of his team call lovingly "The Little Giant," the best coaching staff Hamilton has ever had and both men deserve the heartiest kind of support. Both are workers, anxious only to have undergraduates work with them. They are here to turn out winning teams and there are almost a hundred men in college working daily to help them do that. It seems only fair that the rest of the college should at least support them by their presence at contests with other colleges.

This sort of thing is what gives a college a black eye. It is the thing which makes the alumni say, "Oh, the college is going to rot," and which causes them to withdraw their support. Hamilton can not afford it. It is too ambitious, too upright and too eager for advancement. The question at present seems to be up to the Class of 1922. Upperclassmen, see that they do their duty. Think it over!

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Mr. Scollard recently sold his home in Clinton and removed to New York City. Instead of transporting his library to his new residence, he decided to make of it a gift to his Alma Mater.

Professor Ibbotson also wishes to draw the attention of the students to the fact that a pamphlet has just been published containing the administrative rules of the Faculty and the rules for the application of the honor system. Copies may be obtained at the desk in the Library.

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advancing King to third. Fursman was out on fly to Beaver. No runs.

Eighth Inning

Union: Reynolds singled to left field. Beaver reached first, while Campbell threw out Reynolds at second. Fursman disposed of Hanley's grounder while Beaver went to second. Wittner reached first on a hit to right field, as Beaver scored on an error by King. Clark out, Baumler to Johnson.

Hamilton: Campbell out, Brucker to Hanley. Johnson out, Mallory to Hanley. Pritchard singled to left field and stole second. Gorman walked and Pritchard scored on a wild throw past Lewis. Gorman was out at second, Lewis to Brucker on Clark's grounder to Lewis. Score, Hamilton 3, Union 1.

Ninth Inning

Union: Lewis singled to left field. Brucker out on a fly to Fursman, and Lewis stole second. Mallory struck out. Butler singled to right field, scoring Lewis. Butler was out at second on Reynolds roller to Fursman, Fursman to Campbell. Score, Hamilton 3, Union 2.

UNION	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Reynolds, cf,	4	0	1	0	0	0
Beaver, lf,	4	1	2	3	0	0
Hanley, 1b,	4	0	0	9	0	0
Wittner, c,	3	0	0	8	1	0
Clark, rf,	4	0	0	0	0	0
Lewis, 3b,	4	1	1	1	2	1
Brucker, 2b,	4	0	0	1	2	0
Mallory, ss,	4	0	0	2	3	1
Gilbert, p,	2	0	0	0	0	2
Butler, p,	2	0	1	0	1	0
	35	2	5	24	9	4

HAMILTON	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Fursman, 2b,	4	0	0	4	2	0
Campbell, ss,	4	1	1	1	3	0
Johnson, 1b,	4	1	0	9	1	1
Pritchard, cf,	4	1	2	0	0	0
Gorman, c,	2	0	0	11	0	1
Clark, lf,	4	0	0	0	0	1
King, rf,	3	0	1	0	0	2
Moffat, 3b,	1	0	0	1	2	0
Baumler, p,	2	0	0	1	2	0
	28	3	4	27	10	5

Score by innings:

Union,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	—2
Hamilton,	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	x	—3

Sacrifice hits: Moffat 2, Baumler 1; stolen bases, Beaver, Prtichard; bases on balls: off Gilbert 2, off Baumler 1; strike outs: by Gilbert 8, by Baumler 10; first base on errors: Hamilton 4, Union 4; passed balls: Gorman 1; hit by pitcher, Wittner, Brucker. Umpire, Kleeman of Utica. Time of game, one hour and forty-five minutes.

Substitution: Butler for Gilbert in latter half of the 6th, after Gilbert hurt his ankle.

—John H. Patton, '15, who was graduated from the Buffalo Law School last June, has become a member of the firm of Patton and Patton, attorneys and counselors at law, of Tonawanda, N. Y.

—John B. Jessup, '15, has been mustered out of service and has returned to his former position with the DuPont de Nemours Company in Wilmington, Del.

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And then heh started smoking,
And using slang and such—
Why once he drank a little beer
Though not so very much.
He then attempted "Stepping out"
And lo! his books were hid.
He doubtless will get "piffed" sometime

But now he is a hopeless case
The boys all call him "Slicker"
He calls on all the girls—and tea
Is now his favorite liquor.
He goes to dances once a week
And wears his new trick lid.
He says he likes the awful life
Because she said she did.

Thorp (at house party): "Gee, this is just like Sub-Frosh Day—Oh, I mean the weather."

Fair Damsel: "Oh, Mr. Brandt, haven't you lost something?"

Schuyler: "No; but I have lost my usual pep."

Shimmy Sam says that he hopes "Jupe" Pluvius loses his umbrella and gets wet like the rest of us.

Professor Morrill makes the following announcement in his scientific report for March: "After June 30, 1919, grasshoppers will be in great demand in the manufacture of beer, the ancient beverage, because of the scarcity of hops elsewhere."

Why the Curiosity?

Vassar Re-Chickenizes France.—Williams Record.

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Mr. Carl Schwartz, Rhodes Scholar, Urges Men to Attend Conferene to be Held June 20

BLUE BOOK OUT IN FALL

Last Friday morning after chapel Mr. Carl Schwartz of the Y. M. C. A. spoke on college life and experiences and extended the annual invitation to the students to attend the Northfield Conference between June 20 and 30.

Several men now in College have been present at former Conferences and deemed the trip well worth while. Jessup, Hamlin, and Huntsman have represented Hamilton at the Northfield Conference. President Johnson of the College Y. M. C. A. hopes that a good sized delegation will accept the invitation this year.

The Conference will offer a series of interesting events and also the opportunity of meeting men from all over the country. Noted men like Dr. John R. Mott and Robert Speer are on the program as speakers. The business transactions will be held in the morning and the representatives from the colleges are not required to be present at these. In the afternoon games and other athletic events will take place, while entertainments and stunts will be reserved for the evenings.

The Blue Book will be distributed in the fall to the Class of 1923. Its appearance on Sub-Freshman Day was prevented owing to the short time in which to compile a really good and suitable book. When the Blue Book finally issues forth it will be clad in a fine leather covering. The material will be of practical value to the students and will make the book a worthy and attractive souvenir of Hamilton College.

—Glenn Prescott, ex-'18, who is in France with an instrument detail in Battery D of the 308th Field Artillery, 78th Division, which is expected to be returned shortly.

—George A. Flesh, ex-'18, who has been discharged from the service, visited the Hill last month.

—Carleton D. Schwartz, ex-'18, who expected to take part in the paade of the 27th Division in New York City in March, contracted an abscess and went to a hospital. He is now living in Clinton.

—Asa M. Stackhouse, ex-'20, has cabled from Bordeaux, France, that he is in that city, awaiting transportation to the United States.

—Lieut. Leet W. Bissell, '14, and Miss Beatrice Barlow, daughter of Mrs. Belle Barlow Bush, were married in Boston, Mass., April 5, 1919.

—Henry C. Fenn, '16, is in Y. M. C. A. work at Camp Upton.

—Denton E. Brome, Jr., '09, who served fifteen months in France with a base hospital attached to the Fifth Regiment of Marines and located at Brest, has returned from overseas. For four months last summer when the great drive was going on, he was one of a team of American doctors and nurses detailed to a French hospital at Orleans.

Discussion By Our Alumni

Editors of Hamilton Life:

Dear Boys—I was interested in the article headed "Trustees Revive Interest in Road." As I got through with Hamilton, or Hamilton with me, in 1854, some of your high mathematicians can figure out my age practically at the present time and when they figure it out they will find that I am old enough to be an old fogy, and so perhaps I am, but not as to roads, although I am not so fortunate or so unfortunate, as to be the owner of an automobile. Some three or four years since I drove in an auto from Clinton up to the college grounds and over the same old stones that existed there in 1854, and I don't know as they were old stones either, because in your section of the country stones seem to grow like potatoes. The chauffeur who drove me made me so mild a charge that I increased it, telling him as I paid him that he couldn't afford to drive up that hill for the price he charged me. It was the first time I had been on the grounds for thirty years and while I was pleased and gratified to notice the improvements that had taken place in the interval between my former visit and the one above mentioned, I was sorry indeed to see such a wretched old road wholly unimproved from what it was when I was there as a boy. I certainly hope that in the near future that condition may cease to exist and that a good cement road will be constructed from Clinton to the College Campus, and on the old line in my judgment, for although steep, to devise any other line would so lengthen the road according to my recollection of the topography of that section, that the walking distance from the College to the village of Clinton would be inordinately extended, much to the inconvenience of the boys who return late from Utica, as they used to in my days occasionally. To construct this road will cost money doubtless, but is is an expenditure that leads to ease and comfort and pleasure, and also, as we Westerners have found out, it leads to profit as well.

If I ever get to Hamilton College again, which is of course very doubtful, I hope to see a good road and hope to learn of its existence whether I get there or not.

Sincerely,
W. A. P. MORRIS, '54.

—Chauncey S. Truax, '17, who went across with an ambulance unit sent from Allentown, Pa., by the United States National Lawn Tennis Association, is now in the U. S. Army Ambulance Service, Section 603, stationed at Pruim, Germany. He saw service in Italy, France, and Luxemburg.

—Rev. Jay Knox, '10, who received the rank of first lieutenant on November 1, 1918, is chaplain in the First Division, 26th Engineers (Infantry), U. S. A., near Coblenz, Germany. He also is acting as regimental post-master, school officer, and censor, and battalion, athletic and mess officer.

—Alexander H. Woolcott, '09, is an editor of the "Stars and Stripes," the paper published by the American Expeditionary Forces.

LETTER FROM DE SANTIS '18 TELLS OF LIFE AT GRENOBLE

One of Four Hundred Yankees Studying at Famous French University.

MEETS JONES, '17, AT COBLENZ

The following letter dated March 29, was received a few weeks ago from Joseph DeSantis, '18, who is now overseas in the college for enlisted men at Grenoble. His address is Pvt. Joseph DeSantis, A. P. O. 923 School Dept. This very interesting letter is as follows:

"I am now back in the land which "Bill Shep" taught me to speak to. Grenoble is a fine city of about 100,000 in the Graisidovean Valley in the French Alps. It is only a few hours ride from both the Italian and Swiss frontiers and about four hours' ride from Aix-les-Bains, where I spent my furlough.

"I wouldn't be stretching it much if I should say I am here on an extended furlough of three months. I am one of the 400 Yank students at the University of Grenoble, where "Supe" studied some time or other. Being a soldier student is the heaven and paradise of the army.

"Room rent is paid for by the government, up to five francs a day, if necessary. We are allowed two dollars a day for board, of which you only have to spend about three-fifths for this purpose and can use the remainder as you wish. In addition we are carried on detached service, which means we continue to draw out thirty dollars a month without interruption. There is no reveille, no retreat, no guard, no K. P., no 'nothing,' and we are obliged to remain until the end of June anyway.

"There are 400 Yanks here and half of them are studying elementary French, most of the rest are in intermediate French, while only about thirty of us are in advanced French. There are special classes for the Americans. The C. O. of the detachment keeps a record of the classes missed by having someone in each class take the attendance.

"Up at Coblenz I ran into 'Johnny' Jones, '17, who was laid up in the hospital, where he was starting on the road to recovery after an attack of pneumonia."

—Ralph Renwick, '10, who was in charge of the construction of U. S. Base Hospital No. 22 in Philadelphia, has returned to his business as architect in Chicago.

—A daughter, Helen, was born on March 28, 1919, to Starr H. Lloyd, '10, and Mrs. Lloyd. Mr. Lloyd served on the U. S. S. Mt. Vernon during the war and is now living at 346 E. N. E. Boulevard, Philadelphia, Pa.

—Seabury S. Gould, Jr., was discharge from the Office of the General Staff on March 5, 1919, and has resumed his position as assistant treasurer of the Gould Manufacturing Company of Seneca Falls, N. Y. He is also editor of Goulds "Plunger," a paper published in the interests of the employees of the company.

—Donald Edward Stone, '13, who lost his life in an air battle over the trenches in France, received the Croix de Guerre.

Princeton to Form Varsity Club

Princeton letter men have decided to form the Varsity Club on a permanent basis. The object is to stimulate interest in athletics not only among the athletes, but among all undergraduates and alumni as well.

The further wearing of insignia was favored as being a help in fostering more interest in athletics.

Michigan Seniors to Leave Bonds as Memorial

Instead of having to leave their Alma Mater some well meant but inappropriate memorial, the Seniors of Michigan have decided to leave as their contribution to the University, Victory bonds which shall be turned over to an alumni trust fund organization.

—Cedric S. Adams, '12, who has been discharged from the Signal Corps, has accepted the principalship of Leavenworth Institute and Wolcott High School, Wolcott, N. Y. He takes up his duties in September.

—H. Herbert Jessup, ex-'13, cabled last month that he was about to return from France.

—Edward B. Bould, '13, has been discharged from the Ordnance Department, A. E. F., as a first lieutenant, on March 15, 1919, and is now engaged in the sales department of the Goulds Manufacturing Company at Seneca Falls, N. Y.

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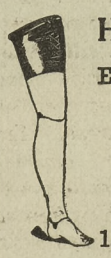

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has for each term the following allowance of absence:

Morning chapel, 12; Sunday chapel, 2; each course of one hour a week, 1; of two hours, 2; of three hours, 3; Biology 1-2 and all courses in Chemistry, 4. All absences are counted double if taken in the three days just before or after any vacation or recess, or in the two days just before or after a holiday.

No allowance of absence is granted for rhetorical appointments or formal reviews, oral or written.

The allowance is intended to cover absence necessitated by brief illness or other causes and should not be used otherwise.

III. Delinquency in Attendance and Minimum Allowance of Absence.

(a) A student who has the full allowance of absence and exceeds it in a given term incurs a delinquency in attendance. In the reckoning of absence, one excess absence is offset by two unused absences in other exercises. Until the removal of his delinquency in attendance, a student has only the minimum allowance, which consists of ten absences in the term distributed at his option but subject to the rule concerning zeros in scholarship record (See I, a). He may remove a delinquency in attendance by not exceeding his minimum allowance in a subsequent term, and in no other way. If he exceeds his minimum allowance by more than five absences, he incurs an additional delinquency in attendance.

(b) A student not in regular standing receives only the minimum allowance of absence. If he exceeds this minimum by more than five absences a term, he incurs a delinquency in attendance.

(c) To be recommended for a degree a senior must have removed all previous delinquencies in attendance, and have incurred no further delinquency in his final term.

(d) A senior who fails to receive a degree with his class by reason of a deliquency in attendance will ordinarily be recommended for a degree at Commencement one year later.

IV. Excuses

(a) Permission for definite anticipated absence in representation of any college organization, athletic, musical, etc., must be sought through the Dean not less than three days in advance.

Two students only, in regular standing may be excused, in advance, as delegates to meetings of fraternities and other organizations. For such an excuse there must be presented through the Dean a written request signed by the officers, stating names of the proposed delegates, the place and date of the meeting, and the minimum time needed.

Applications for absence under exceptional necessity must be presented in advance to the Dean.

Longer absences necessitated by protracted sickness will be dealt with by the Discipline Committee of the Faculty, on application made through the Dean. Where excuses are granted for such absences, the student is allowed as many further absences as there are weeks remaining in the term, such allowance in no case to exceed five.

Applications for absence from Sunday Chapel to attend or to conduct religious services elsewhere are to be made to the President.

(b) All students are required to attend public worship each Sunday morning at 10:30 in the College Chapel.

(c) Excuses from examinations are dealt with by the Faculty upon written application presented through the Dean.

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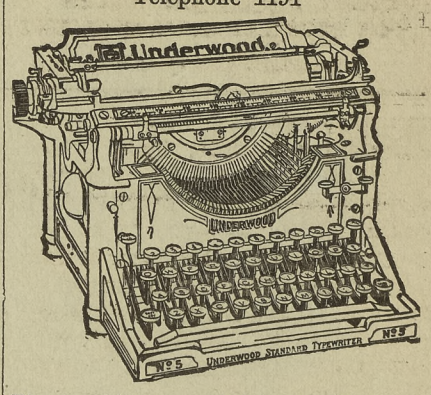

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WELL PREPARED FOR WORK

Plans for Hamilton to have a representative of the College in China have been completed and Paul M. Hamlin of Pittston, Pa., will sail from San Francisco July 30. This advance step came as the result of a movement to improve educational facilities in the East and is being taken up by many colleges throughout the country.

Hamlin graduates from college in June and is especially well fitted to take up this work, as he has been instructor of physical education in the Clinton High School for the last two years. After graduation Hamlin will spend some time in preparation and will leave here the first week of July. He has secured passage to China on the S. S. Korea Maru of the Japanese line. En route he will stop at Honolulu and Yokahama. The ship lands at Shanghai after a voyage of about 30 days.

From Shanghai Hamilton's representative will go up the Yantze-Kiang River to Changsha, in the province of Hunana. The college in which Mr. Hamlin will be located is in this city. It is known in the East as the University of Yali, being the outgrowth of a movement started in Yale University for the advancement of education in China. Hamlin will begin his work when college opens, September 4, and will teach English and probably biology and history with some physical education. Mr. Hamlin is very fortunate, as he does not have to learn the Chinese language to take up this work, for it will all be among the English speaking Chinese. Mr. Hamlin will remain abroad for 26 months, and then will return to this country to take up post-graduate work. The expenses of the trip and Mr. Hamlin's salary are being borne by the College Y. M. C. A.

—Wesley G. Thompson, ex-'21, is on the business staff of the M. I. T. publication.

—Harold S. Dodge, '18, has arrived from overseas, where he served in Base Hospital No. 48.

—Donald R. Grant, ex-'18, who has been in France since July last, is now acting as Ordnance Sergeant at the Shipping Docks in Bordeaux.

—Charles M. Peck, ex-'18, who has been mustered out of the service, visited the Hill last month.

—A son was born last month to Elbert B. Mattoon, '16, and Mrs. Mattoon. Mr. Mattoon is the field secretary of the College.

—Charles D. Knapp, '16, was a visitor to the Hill last month.

—John M. Elliott, ex-'16, who is with the cavilry at Neu Wied, Germany, and who has seen much service during the Battle of the Marne, expects to be sent to Russia.

—Futon T. Grant, ex-'19, is at the Marine Officers' Training Camp, Quantico, Va.

RAIN FAILS TO DAMPEN SPIRIT OF HOUSE-PARTIES WHILE EIGHT CROWDS MAKE MERRY

Eight crowds entertained guests at their spring house parties held over the last week-end and all report great success. Pretty girls and peppy music abounded in the various houses and the lives of us tired students saw sunshine for a few days. There were about a hundred guests at the various houses. The Chi Psis held a fancy dress ball on Friday night. The lists of guests at the several fraternities were as follows:

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Delta Upsilon—Chaperones, Mrs. J. J. Lawler and Mrs. F. Clark of Oneida. The Misses Charlotte Snyder, Margaret Bryan, Katherine Horan, and Beatrice Akroyd of Syracuse, Miss Erma Strange of Binghamton, Miss Adelaide Jones of Rome, Miss Francis Samuel of Remsen, Miss Helen Hallock of New York City, Miss Dorothy Edwards of Utica, Miss S. Steele of Oneonta, Miss Mary Cantey of Jamaica, Miss Theodosia Hatch of Waterville.

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PLAN FOR COMMENCEMENT

The Senior Class is active in its preparations for Commencement Week. Among the important arrangements that have been made is the appointment of several of the minor class dignitaries. They are as follows: Class Prophet, Stone; Class Historian, Stratton; Class Poet, Pierce; Ivy Orator, Reed.

The Class Day Committee has been appointed and consists of Bratton, Valentine, and Stone. The Dance Committee, of which McLean is chairman, has made plans for a dance to be held after the Charlatan performance. The dancing will probably begin about eleven o'clock, at the conclusion of the performance, and will continue throughout the night until morning. The orchestra has not as yet been obtained.

—Samuel H. Allston, ex-'20, and John H. Burke, ex-'20, were among the recent visitors on the Hill.

—Arnold R. Hoffman, ex-'16, who recently returned from overseas service, expects to resume his former position at the Utica Trust and Deposit Company, Utica, N. Y.

—Edwin R. Moore, '17, who has been released from war work at Oneonta, N. Y., visited the Hill recently.

FACULTY PLANS NEW COURSES

English Literature, Philosophy, and Greek and Spanish Departments Affected by Changes.

PROFESSORS TO RETURN

At the faculty meeting held last Thursday the Faculty voted to approve the addition of several new courses to the present curriculum. A 9-10 course will be offered in English Literature which will consist of the study of the English Bible as well as Seventeenth Century prose. Professor Rudd will have charge of this course. Professor Squires will give a course in Ethics, which will be considered as Philosophy 9-10. The prerequisite for this course is to be Philosophy 3-4 and will only be open to Seniors. The present senior course will be open to both of the two upper classes. A course in Greek and Roman Art will be given to Seniors by Professor Fitch the first semester and by Professor Chase the second half of the year. There is no prerequisite required in order to be eligible to take this course. Also a 5-6 course is to be offered in Spanish with Spanish 3-4 as a prerequisite and Italian 1-2, formerly a senior course, will be open to both Juniors and Seniors. These changes will take effect next September.

There will also be a few changes in the present faculty. Professors Lewis, Ristine, and Clarke will return from work in the service and resume their old courses. Another professor will be added to the department of Romance Languages, but as yet no one has been selected. Dr. Ferry is also in search of a professor to act as Assistant Instructor in both Chemistry and Biology. Mr. Carmer, who has taken Professor Lewis' place in the Department of Oratory, will return to his former position as instructor at Rochester University.

In English Literature Professor Ristine will have a division of the 1-2 course and all of the 3-4 and 7-8 classes. Professor Rudd will instruct one division in the 1-2 class as well as the 5-6 and 9-10 courses. The present system of compulsory athletics for every man in college will be carried out next year under the guidance of Mr. Prettyman and an assistant. The Hygiene course, which is at present one hour a week for the whole year, will be incorporated into the physical education in the fall. Several lectures will be given to the Freshmen during the first few weeks of the term on the care of the body. If the college continues to enlarge and improve the curriculum and faculty, Hamilton will no longer be located in "Clinton, nine miles from Utica."

—W. Stewart Holden, '17, who has been discharged from the Quartermaster's Department, is now teaching English at Boonville High School, Boonville, N. Y.

—Lieut. Wilfred R. Higgins, '16, who is at Camp Devens, Mass., intends to remain in the army. His marriage was recently announced.